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1. The military airfield at Kurnr (Kummer, 051/F95) is located about 3.3 km south of the outskirts of Mimon (051/F95). When it was built by the Germans during World War II, its size was 8,800 x 500 m. From 1945 to 1946 the field was neglected by the military authorities, and it was not until 1947 that the air force began to plan the renovation and enlargement of the field for use in training paratroopers. In 1948 the Paratroop Training Center was established, and in 1949 it was decided to enlarge and modernize the Kurnr airfield. In 1950 this project was started.
2. The airfield now measures 3,000 x 800 m. Construction of concrete runways is being accelerated, and the work is being done by prisoners from the military labor camp "PM" (politically unreliable) and from the Prague court. Buildings on the field include barracks, three hangars, workshops, garages, and depots which were built during the German occupation. Underground hangars are under construction.
3. Winds from the west and northwest usually disperse any winter fog by mid-morning. Except for a radio station there is no technical equipment at the field. No air force personnel is stationed at the field since air traffic would interfere with the construction, and only labor units are located there.

Attachment: Sketch of Kurr airfield and of underground hangar.

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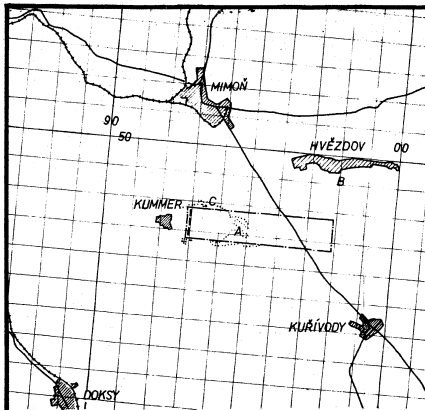
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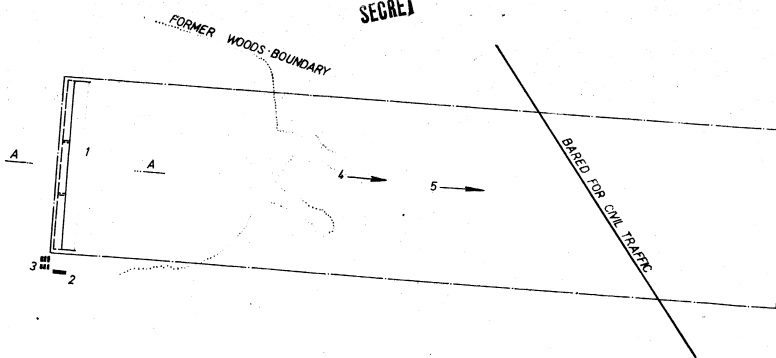
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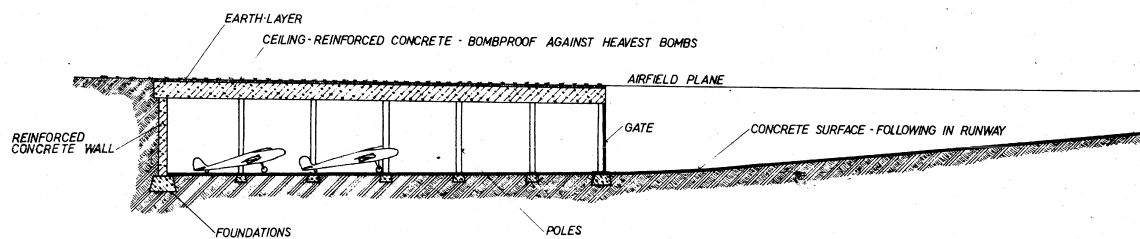
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